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## LIST OF ONTARIO HOSPITALS & CLINICS

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#### **GENERAL MEDICAL INFORMATION**

**EMERGENCIES:** Dial 9-1-1. This universal emergency number can be dialed from any working phone including payphones without requiring prior payment and will connect you with an operator who can dispatch emergency services such as ambulance, police, or fire department.

MEDICAL FACILITIES AND HEALTH INFORMATION: The level of public health and sanitation in Canada is high. Canada's medical care is of a high standard but is government-controlled. Quick and easy access to ongoing medical care is difficult for temporary visitors who are not members of each province's government-run health care plans. Many physicians will not take new patients. Access to a specialist is only by referral and may take months to obtain. Emergency room waits can be very long. Traveler's medical insurance is highly recommended even for brief visits. Canadian health care providers do not accept U.S. domestic health insurance, and Medicare coverage does not extend outside the United States. Visitors who seek any medical attention in Canada should be prepared to pay cash in full at the time the service is rendered.

You can find good information on vaccinations and other health precautions on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) website. For information about outbreaks of infectious diseases abroad, consult the World Health Organization (WHO) website. The WHO website also contains additional health information for travelers, including detailed country-specific health information.

#### **HOSPITALS**

Below is a list of the major hospitals in Ontario. A complete list of Ontario hospitals can be found here:

http://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/common/system/services/hosp/locations.aspx

#### The Hospital for Sick Children

555 University Avenue Toronto, Ontario, M5G 1X8, Canada www.sickkids.ca

General inquiries: 416-813-1500

Patient information/locating: 416-813-6621 Ontario Poison Centre: 416-813-5900

Telehealth Ontario info line: 1-866-797-0000

# **Greater Niagara General Site**

5546 Portage Road Niagara Falls, Ontario, L2E 6X2, Canada www.niagarahealth.on.ca/en 905-378-4647

# St. Michael's Hospital

30 Bond Street Toronto, Ontario, M5B 1W8, Canada www.stmichaelshospital.com 416-360-4000

# **Mount Sinai Hospital**

600 University Avenue Toronto, Ontario, M5G 1X5, Canada www.mountsinai.on.ca 416-596-4200

## St. Joseph's Health Centre

30 The Queensway Toronto, Ontario, M6R 1B5, Canada www.stjoe.on.ca 416-530-6000

## William Osler Health Centre

101 Humber College Blvd Etobicoke, Ontario, M9V 1R8, Canada www.williamoslerhc.on.ca 416-747-3400

#### **Bluewater Health**

Sarnia, Ontario, N7T 6S3, Canada www.bluewaterhealth.ca 519-464-4400

# **Thunder Bay Regional Health**

980 Oliver Road Thunder Bay, Ontario, P7B 6V4, Canada www.tbrhsc.net 807-684-6000

## **Windsor Regional Hospital**

1995 Lens Avenue Windsor, Ontario, N8W 1L9, Canada www.wrh.on.ca 519-254-5577

Some Information on Toronto Walk-In Clinics:

https://www.blogto.com/city/2013/11/the\_top\_10\_walk-in\_clinics\_in\_toronto/

#### **PHYSICIANS**

**ONTARIO:** The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario regulates the practice of medicine under the authority of provincial law. All physicians who practice medicine in the province must be registrants of the College. To assist patients in finding a physician accepting new patients the College provides an online directory: <a href="https://www.cpso.on.ca/public-register/all-doctors-search">https://www.cpso.on.ca/public-register/all-doctors-search</a>

The College is responsible for ensuring that patients receive quality medical care when they are treated by licensed physicians. Concerns or complaints about the conduct or care provided can be directed to:

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario 80 College Street Toronto, Ontario, M5G 2E2 Fax: 416-961-3330

Email: feedback@cpso.on.ca Website: www.cpso.on.ca

#### **DENTISTS**

**ONTARIO:** The College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario registers, certifies and regulates dentists and certified dental assistants in Ontario. A searchable list of all licensed practitioners can be found here:

Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario

6 Crescent Road Toronto, Ontario Canada M4W 1T1

Main: 416-961-6555
Toll-Free: 1-800-565-4591
General Email: info@rcdso.org